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### NEWSPAPERS AS GIVERS.

In the course of a recent address in the Unitarian Church, in Madison, Wis. Amos Parker Wilder, editor of the Wisconsin State Journal, said:

"Newspapers are the best givers in the community. No one else gives so much money to good causes—for to a newspaper space is money. The average citizen is interested in one good thing—a hospital meeting or a church supper or the humane society. 'The newspaper is bolstering up half a dozen projects daily. It is sometimes said: 'Why, these topics are news—it is to read about them that people subscribe to the paper.' It is true enough that these topics have a certain news value, but a few lines soon exhausts that. From the standpoint of public interest it is enough to know once that the humane society will meet Tuesday, or that the second ward Loyal Legion will hold a contest.

"A handful of people may be interested to have the announcement printed into their ears daily until the fatal day, but a newspaper is published for many thousands of people. Its space is limited and it costs money to set type.

"No one knows what immense free service newspapers give to these countless good causes, and how many journals have been bankrupted because the owner did not refuse (as citizens decline to give more than a certain amount of money) to turn newspapers over to charity instead of to 'news,' which the average reader wants. There must be a choice section of Paradise reserved for this underestimating profession which so loves its fellow man."—Western Publisher.

### WHAT HAVE WE BEEN DOING?

Strangers who come into Cedar City and learn that it has been settled for 50 years or upwards, wonder what the residents have been doing all this while. Why we haven't better streets and walks; why there are not more well cultivated lawns and grounds; why there is scarcely a finished building in the place. To the person raised in the more progressive towns of northern Utah, or in the East, everything here has a slipshod appearance. And really, there is a great deal of room for criticism. There has been enough labor wasted on the street corners and about business houses during the past 20 years in Cedar to have paved and guttered every street and sidewalk within the populated district, and yet we continue to wade through the mud year after year, with only the hauling of an occasional load of shale or other temporary improvement—just enough to enable us to slop around. A nice four-foot cement walk along the front of each lot in the more thickly populated district would not cost very much, and once it was laid good dry footing would be insured for many long years to come. Besides this it would stamp Cedar City as one of the progressive up-and-a-coming towns of the state—one of which we could all feel proud. With good sidewalks the winter season would lose one-half its terrors for the inhabitants. It has been predicted that if one walk in town were to be paved a majority of the property holders would soon fall in line. Who will be the progressive citizen to set the example?

Once more we rise to enquire what has become of that Commercial Club committee? It is about time we were hearing their report on articles of incorporation.

Don't send your money away to Canada, Idaho, Mexico or any other distant country for investment. Distance lends enchantment, it is true, and a smooth agent who has been trained in presenting his arguments in favor of some foreign investment can make it appear very alluring, but in a majority of cases you will find better openings right at home. Our greatest drawback is a lack of capital to carry on home en-

terprises calculated to build up the country, and every dollar sent out for investment is just that much less money in the country for the exploiting of local resources. Be loyal to your own section of the country. Have faith in it, and do everything in your power to advance it and develop its resources. Let other sections look after themselves.

The man with enough means to make a start can accumulate money just about as fast in southern Utah as in any part of the globe. There are hundreds of openings and opportunities for making money for the man who has a little cash to invest. A creamery would pay well; there is money in raising chickens and hogs here, if it is done on a large scale; the dry farm industry offers a good opening for a lot of people who have the necessary capital to make the commencement; mining operators will find good opportunities here; an electric light plant would be a good investment; there is big money in raising horses, and all the facilities exist here for the profitable handling of the industry; an artificial stone factory would be a good-paying business. And there are dozens of others. Men with a little capital to start with could not do better than to come to southern Utah.

### LITTLE VISITS

With "Uncle By."

(Western Publisher.)

One way to get rich quickly is to inherit wealth.

Sooner or later the undertaker undertakes us all.

If Uncle Sam puts a lid on Panama, will it be a panama hat?

When calling, do not blow on your tea; fan it with your hat.

The honeymoon always ends with the first batch of light (?) bleout.

Who wants to be a chip on shore when the big raft goes out to sea?

The collar button trust has been busted. This will "knock warts," will it not?

The way to stop your wife's eternal nagging for money is to give her some.

For that tickling sensation in your throat swallow a half dozen burdock burrs.

A robber held up an Omaha physician and got away without losing his appendix.

In cannibal lands it is always popular with the wife to bring a man home for dinner.

Almost every man is a cannibal when it comes to a beautiful young woman's cherry lips.

The baseball season is for summer only, but the moth ball is for all the year around.

Underbidding the other fellow is a poor way to get your own salary raised.

The reason folly flies is because there is so much of it traffic would be blocked if it walked.

The man who shaves himself may cut his chin, but he doesn't have to listen to the barber's.

The worse bore of the lot always gets you cornered just as you are about to start for dinner.

Canada's steel business is improving. Uncle Sam's steel business seems to be on the toboggan.

The small boy who cannot sleep on a full stomach usually manages pretty well on his back.

Get your wife to try drinking from a bottle. Ginger ale will do—and it's more fun than a circus.

Gasoline has gone up a cent a gallon. It must be hard to keep the automobile wolf from the door.

A tom cat should make a good baseball umpire. The cat has nine lives, one for every inning.

Placing the world's anarchists by themselves on an island would be hard on the island, wouldn't it?

I wonder how large a mattress could be made of the locks of hair loaned during "love's young dream."

The price of starch has been boosted but the linen collar from the laundry still comes up to the scratch.

We may not have many old masters in America, but we certainly have enough slave driver.

"Spurious money is scarce," say the secret service men. Is not the word "spurious" superfluous?

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At Andover academy a student was expelled for kissing a pretty waitress. No wonder it is hard to keep a hired girl.

Eat eggs! The packers cannot adulterate them! It is hardly necessary to add that only good eggs should be eaten.

An Indiana poet wrote, "The People Are Greater Than I." Yes, the packers are discovering the same great truth.

According to the esteemed Chicago Journal, a "live okapi" has been captured in the wilds of Africa. "What is the name, please?"

According to a Missouri paper a ballet dancer known to the footlights has her feet insured for \$20,000. Naturally her feet come high.

The man who can have everything he wants is happy. The woman who can have everything somebody else wants is happy, too.

Dassel, Minn., has a young lady of the name of Miss Pancake. Some young man is going to have Pancake for breakfast every day of his married life.

Evidently Mr Bryan believed the saying "There is a tide in the affairs of men that taken at the flood leads on to fortune." He was out to sea to meet it.

Rah for the good old graft days. The days of the hand behind! Open your palms and whistle—You'll get your pockets lined!

They sat upon a black ant's nest, A maiden and a city chappy. The ants woke up and charged the foe And no one but the ants were happy!

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